

**The University of Texas
M.D. Anderson Cancer Center**

Division of Nursing
Nursing Professional Development and Education

**Professional Student Nurse Extern
Interview and Skills Checklist**

Name: _____

School: _____

Classification: JR
SR 1st Semester 2nd Semester

Graduation Date: _____

GPA: _____

Clinical Rotation:

| Type | Length of Rotation | Location | Dates |
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Other Clinical Experiences:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Area of Interest:

1. 1st Choice: _____
2. 2nd Choice: _____

We are unable to guarantee placement on specific units.

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INSTRUCTIONS: This checklist is designed to provide us with information related to skills that you have performed during your school clinicals. Please complete the checklist as indicated and have one of your instructors sign. Your signature is also required.

| Skills | Instruction Received in Classroom | Implemented with Patient in Clinical | Comments |
|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|
| Ambulate Patient | | | |
| Answer Unit Telephone | | | |
| Application of cold & heat unsterile: | | | |
| a) | | | |
| b) | | | |
| c) | | | |
| Application of restraints: | | | |
| a) Posey jacket limb restraints | | | |
| b) Side rails | | | |
| Back Rub | | | |
| Baths | | | |
| Bed making | | | |
| Blood pressure | | | |
| Care of deceased & their possessions | | | |
| Care of patient: | | | |
| a) in isolation | | | |
| b) with radium | | | |
| c) with radioactive isotopes | | | |
| d) with oxygen | | | |
| Clamp, disconnect, & reconnect the following as directed by professional nurse | | | |
| a) Gastric tubes | | | |
| b) Urinary catheters-unsterile | | | |
| c) Wound catheters (except chest tubes) | | | |
| Collect specimens: | | | |
| a) Urinalysis | | | |
| b) Clean catch midstream | | | |
| c) Sputum | | | |
| Overbed cradle use | | | |
| Douche, vaginal | | | |
| Dressing-clean technique | | | |
| a) | | | |
| b) | | | |
| c) | | | |
| Enema | | | |
| a) Fleet | | | |
| b) Soap solution | | | |
| c) Cleansing | | | |
| Footboard | | | |

| Skills | Instruction Received in Classroom | Implemented with Patient in Clinical | Comments |
|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|
| Height Measurement | | | |
| Intake and Output | | | |
| Keto-Diastix determination/Hemacult | | | |
| Oral hygiene | | | |
| a) Denture care | | | |
| b) Special oral hygiene | | | |
| Patient Medical Record Recording (Nursing interventions) | | | |
| Pre-mealtime care | | | |
| P.M. Care | | | |
| Positioning patients | | | |
| Shave male patients as directed by R.N. | | | |
| Transport patients | | | |
| Transport Items | | | |
| Treatments | | | |
| a) | | | |
| b) | | | |
| c) | | | |
| d) | | | |
| TPR-Check BM's | | | |
| Weight Measurement | | | |
| a) Regular | | | |
| b) Bed Scales | | | |
| Laryngectomy care | | | |
| Tube feedings | | | |
| a) Nasogastric | | | |
| b) Gastrostomy/jejunostomy | | | |

Comments:

_____ Student

_____ Instructor